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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.182 REQUESTING THAT THE 2-MONTH DELAY  
PERIOD IN PENDING REISSUE NOT BE EMPLOYED

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Sir:

This Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.182, is being filed to request that the above-referenced reissue application be acted on, without delaying for 2 months, following the announcement of the filing of the reissue in the *Official Gazette*. More specifically, announcement of the filing of the above-referenced reissue application, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.11(b), is scheduled for publication on June 11, 2002. In view of the 2-month delay period, the earliest date on which the reissue application can be acted upon is August 11, 2002.

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In view of the extraordinarily long period of time (more than 6 months) between the filing date of the reissue application (November 2, 2001) and scheduled publication of the announcement of filing in the *Official Gazette* (June 11, 2002), Applicants respectfully request that the 2-month delay period not be employed.

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